



# FORENSICS @ KRISTIN 2014

Forensics@Kristin is a high quality, high energy, non-residential holiday camp experience for gifted students from all over New Zealand. A completely student-led programme, the camps involve tremendous fun and new friendships with like-minded students from a wide variety of places and backgrounds.

There are three divisions: Junior Forensics (Year 3-8), Forensics (Year 5-10), Senior Scholars (Year 11-13)

Registrations are now open so follow the links below and get involved. Who knows? You may be chosen to be one of the crime-setters for next year's camp!

## Junior Forensics (One Day Camp)

Date: Tuesday 8 July or Wednesday 9 July (*choose one*)  
Time: 8.30am - 5pm  
Location: Kristin School, Albany, Auckland  
Cost: \$50 (includes all materials, morning and afternoon tea, and lunch)

Students spend the day in teams solving a set crime with forensic tools. They will interact with the more advanced students who are taking part in the five day camps and utilise the Kristin science laboratories. Fingerprints, fibres, handwriting and ink analysis – who knows what will happen?

Junior Detectives are typically in Year 3-6, however we will certainly consider motivated students from outside this age range. Limited to 75 students per day.

To register your interest as a Junior Detective simply [click here\\*](#) and complete our registration form. Don't forget to select the role '**Junior Detective**' and indicate which day you would like to attend. We will endeavour to accommodate your choice and contact you if there is a problem. We will send you a confirmation of your registration and a Caregiver's Pack, which includes important information.

## Forensics (Five Day Camp)

Date: 7-12 July  
Hours: Monday – 8.30am-8.30pm (lunch and dinner provided)  
Tuesday – 8.30am-7pm (lunch provided)  
Wednesday – 8.30am-8.30pm (lunch and dinner provided)  
*Thursday is a day off after the crime solving, before the trials begin*  
Friday – 8.30am-7pm (lunch provided)  
Saturday – 8.30am-2pm (lunch provided for students and parents)  
Location: Kristin School, Albany, Auckland  
Cost: \$175 (including materials and meals as listed above. Includes lunch for parents on final day)

Students spend three days in teams solving a dynamic crime scenario with forensic tools and logic. They then swap to a courtroom for a dramatic two days as they prosecute their case in mock trials, cheered on by parents and friends. With input and lectures from the NZ Police, ESR forensic scientists and lawyers, this is the most fun you can legally have with guns, knives, blood and fingerprinting powder!

The 150 Detectives in the standard Forensics camp are typically in Year 7-10, however we will certainly consider motivated students from outside this age range.

To register as a Detective simply [click here](#)\* to complete our registration form. Don't forget to select the role '**Detective**'. We will send you a confirmation of your registration and a Caregiver's Pack, which includes important information.

### Senior Scholars (Five Day Camp)

Run alongside the five-day Forensics camp on 7-12 July, the Senior Scholars camp offers an extraordinary and intense experience for fifteen participants who must be Year 11-13.

These students will spend three days investigating a crime scene, finding and then analysing evidence in a lab with forensic tools and logic. Some of this evidence will feed into the Forensics camp scenarios. The final two days will be spent being briefed and giving evidence as expert scientific witnesses in the standard camp's mock court trials, presided over by real lawyers.

**It is vital to note that the Senior Scholars camp is a very realistic simulation of forensic analysis.** It is gruesome, dirty and smelly. A strong stomach and determination are required.

To register as a Senior Scholar simply [click here](#)\* to complete our registration form. Don't forget to select the role '**Senior Scholar**'. We will send you a confirmation of your registration and a Caregiver's Pack, which includes important information.

(\* To register for any of our Forensic@Kristin camps simply visit <http://tinyurl.com/Forensics14>)

### Contact Information

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Further details about the Forensics camps are available from the [Forensics@Kristin website](#).

For more information about Kristin School visit [www.kristin.school.nz](http://www.kristin.school.nz)